



January 2024

4-H Family News

Montcalm County



Happy New Year 4-H Families and Volunteers,

I hope everyone was able to enjoy the holiday break, or at least get some downtime to re-energize for the new year.

Check out the calendar of events on page 2, and the multiple event flyers at the end of this newsletter, for more information on what is happening.

If you know of someone who would like to be added to our newsletter distribution, shoot us an email, and we'll add them!

Sincerely,
Sunni Haglund
4-H Program Coordinator

Montcalm County Committee Meeting times & locations

Fairboard Association | 1st Monday of the month | 7:00 p.m. | Ash Building – Fairgrounds

4-H Dog Committee | 1st Thursday of the month | 6:30 p.m. | Ash Building – Fairgrounds & via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/92086229811> passcode: 4Hdog)

4-H Horse Leaders | 2nd Tuesday of the month | 7:00 p.m. | Ash Building – Fairgrounds & via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/96502762151> passcode: Horse)

4-H Council | 3rd Monday of the month | 6:30 p.m. | via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/95340301576> passcode: Council)

4-H Community Connection Committee (CCC) | 3rd Monday of the month | 7:00 p.m. | via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/95542684298> passcode: 4HCCC)

4-H Small Animal Committee | 4th Monday of the month | 6:00 p.m. | Ash Building - Fairgrounds & via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/93871161694> passcode: 4hyouth)

4-H Youth Livestock Committee | 4th Monday of the month | 6:30 p.m. | Ash Building - Fairgrounds & via zoom (<https://msu.zoom.us/j/93871161694> passcode: 4hyouth)

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COUNTY CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Fairboard Date: 1/6/25
- **MAFE Convention** Date: 1/8-11/25
- Dog Committee Date: 1/9/25
- Horse Leaders Date: 1/14/25
- **County-wide Dog Practice** Date: 1/14/25
- Advisory Council Date: 1/20/25
- Community Connections Date: 1/20/25
- Small Animal Date: 1/27/25
- Youth Livestock Date: 1/27/25
- MCFAAC (Livestock) Date: 1/27/25

Times and locations for each 4-H committee meeting can be found on the front page of this newsletter!

Don't forget to visit the Montcalm County Fairgrounds webpage
<https://montcalmcountyfairgrounds.>

Other Services Offered:

MSUE Master Gardener Hotline:

1-888-678-3464

The hotline is open weekdays between 9-noon and 1 – 4 p.m.

Select option “1” to speak directly with a gardening expert.

Ask an Expert:

Ask Extension offers one-to-one answers from MSU Extension experts and Extension Master Gardener volunteers on topics such as lawns, gardening, agriculture, nutrition and physical activity, food safety, food preservation, natural resources, community development, youth programming and more!

Ask here:
<https://www.canr.msu.edu/outreach/ask-an-expert>





4-H County News:

The 4-H Program Coordinators within District 8 (Clinton, Eaton, Gratiot, Ingham, Ionia, Montcalm) are planning teen and adult leader training sessions this February, March, and May.

*February's session will be February 1st from 10:30am - 2pm and will cover "Empowering Youth Leaders" in the Ionia County MSU-Extension office.

*March's session will be on March 16th at 6pm and will cover "Helping Youth Thrive" (see page 4), at the Ash Building, at the Montcalm County Fairgrounds.

*May's session will be on May 3rd from 10:30am - 2pm and will cover the showmanship sweepstakes show, at the Clinton County Fairgrounds.

Once we have the registration links and more information, I will send it all out in an email to all families. If you are interested in any of these training sessions, or interested in hearing more about them, please reach out to me. If you are interested in doing the one at the Ash Building, but the topic doesn't seem interesting or the date doesn't work, email me by January 6th with your suggestions.



LONG-TERM OUTCOMES

- Academic or Vocational Success
- Civic Engagement
- Employability & Economic Stability
- Happiness & Wellbeing

- Positive Academic Attitude
- Social Competence
- Personal Standards
- Connection with Others
- Personal Responsibility
- Contribution

DEVELOPMENTAL OUTCOMES

(Positive Youth Development)

YOUTH THRIVING

(Social, Emotional & Cognitive Learning)

- Growth Mindset
- Openness to Challenge & Discovery
- Hopeful Purpose
- Prosocial Orientation
- Transcendent Awareness
- Positive Emotions
- Goal Setting & Management

DEVELOPMENTAL CONTEXT

(4-H Programs)

- Sparks
- Belonging
- Relationships
- Engagement



4-H Committee News

Join us in our 4-H committee meetings, while we plan/prepare or the upcoming year. You have a voice too we just need to hear it! Youth and adults are welcome.

4-H Committees:

Dog Committee – 1st Thursday of every month at 6:30pm at the Ash Building

Horse Leaders – 2nd Tuesday of every month at 7pm at the Ash Building

Advisory Council – 3rd Monday of every month at 6:30pm via Zoom

Community Connections – 3rd Monday of every month following Advisory Council via Zoom

Small Animal Committee – 4th Monday of every month at 6pm at the Ash Building

Youth Livestock Committee – 4th Monday of every month at 6:30pm at the Ash Building

4-H LEADERS





4-H Committee News

The committee meetings are a great opportunity to have your voice be heard. Any 4-H member/family can attend and take part in the planning of the species-specific events throughout the year and at fair. It is encouraged and very important to attend, so that everyone has a voice. Typically, August through October is when most of the changes are voted on, but planning occurs throughout the year.

The Youth Livestock Committee is hosting various educational workshops during their 4th Monday meetings. Their next meeting in January, will be “Beef up your Market Project” – with a special speaker and resources for making the most of your market animal projects.

4-H Community Connections Committee is getting ready to ramp up for their Helen DeVos Children’s Hospital toy drive challenge. As a reminder, there is a bin at our Stanton office, just outside of our door. Any new/homemade gifts, puzzles, activity books, art supplies, etc., can be used as a donation. All clubs that participate in this challenge, qualify to attend the 4-H CCC pizza party at fair!

The Small Animal Committee is finishing up the plans for our spring showmanship workshop. Let them know if you have any ideas, or if you would like to contribute to the planning/organizing/running of the workshop. They are also looking for donations for door prizes. This workshop is a fundraiser for new poultry/goat pens.

4-H is a **community** of **young people** across **America** who are learning **leadership, citizenship** and **life skills.**





Shooting Sports:

4-H Precision Seekers –

Looking for youth that are interested in 4-H Shooting Sports to join our club for 2025.

Rifle Disciplines being offered: BB Gun, Air Rifle (Sporter and Precision), .22lr Rifle (Field and Target)

Age Requirements:

4-H Age As of Jan 1 of the participation year	BB Gun .177	Air Rifle .177	.22lr Rifle
9-11	Yes	Yes	No
12-19	Yes	Yes	Yes

If you are interested, you must log into 4-H Online and join 4-H Precision Seekers as your primary or secondary club. Meetings/practices will start in January 2025 for new youth. Everyone who signs up will be notified of meeting dates and times.

Questions/Info: Please call or email Scott Wallace if you have questions or need additional information. Phone 616-826-6310, email scott.wallace.mich@gmail.com

Note: Please, Do Not buy your youth any equipment prior to attending a meeting/practice or contacting Scott.





Montcalm County Fair Association

MCFA Info/Updates:

We also have various committees that are always looking for new faces and input. If you're interested in serving on one of the following committees, please reach out to Sunni at haglun10@msu.edu.

MCFA Committees:

- Accessibility
- Association Membership
- Awards
- Biosecurity
- Budget and Audit
- Buildings and Grounds
- By-laws/Policies and Procedures
- Camping
- Fairbook
- Grandstand Events
- Judges
- Kids Day/Special Needs Day
- Livestock and Agriculture (MCFAAC)
- Marketing
- Parking/Security
- Plat Book
- Rentals
- ShoWorks
- Vendors/concessions/exhibits



In Memory of Bryan Jaymes Badge

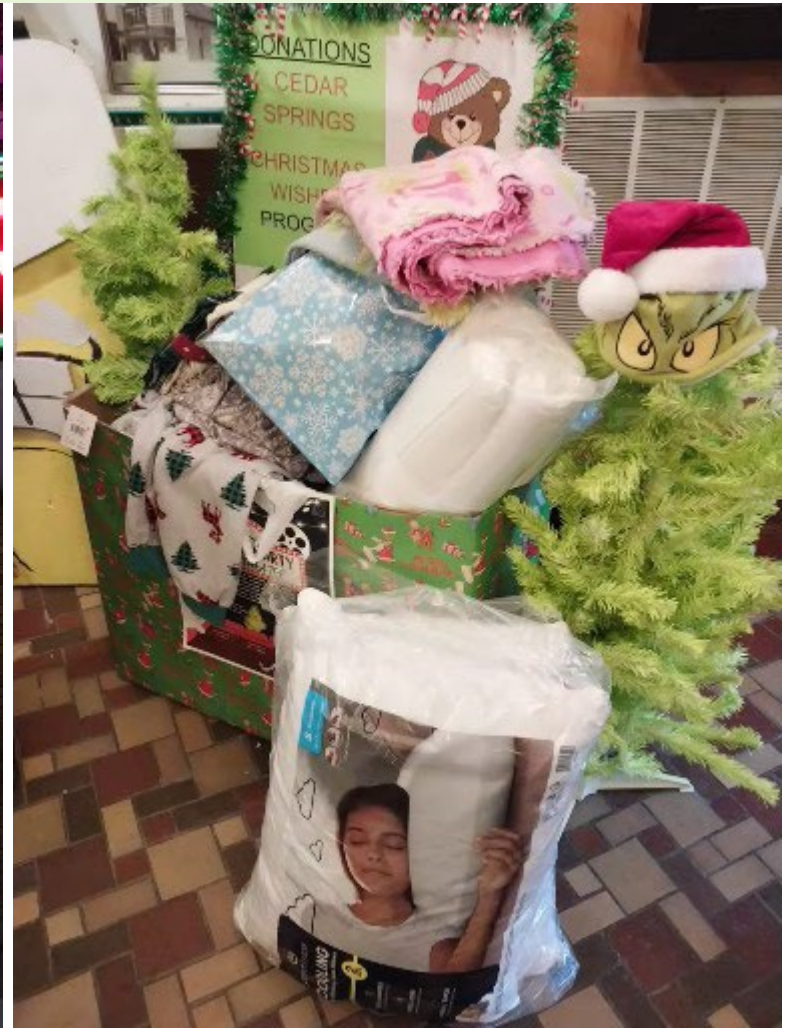
Many of you either knew Bryan very well or at least knew of him through your 4-H time. Thank you to those who were kind enough to send in a special memory of him or a special message to the Badge family. Those that knew him, said that he was always on the go from the time he was born. He was a kind, sweet boy, that was always willing to help or keep everyone in his vicinity laughing. Some said he was just a great well-rounded true farm kid, ready to get dirty and handle chores, and then clean up nicely to show his various animals. When other boy moms would tell Tanya how sweet he was, she would look at them like they were crazy (like all boy moms do). Many younger kiddos can attest to the silliness he brought to all 4-H events, as well as the guidance and knowledge he shared with them about their rabbit, goat, and horse projects. The tragedy of losing him way too soon is an understatement, and he will be greatly missed by all who were lucky enough to cross paths with him. Here are a few photo memories that have been shared with us by fellow 4-H families.







Community Service



The 4-H Curious Clovers club collected over 400 hundred gifts to be given to families in need in the Cedar Springs area.

They also assisted the Kent Theatre in Cedar Springs with the "Grinch Pajama Party" where pillows, blankets, pajamas and stuffed animals were collected for families in need this holiday season.



STATEWIDE 4-H NEWS



Register today for Michigan 4-H Capitol Experience!

At Michigan 4-H Capitol Experience, teens learn how to change the world for the better through engagement in Michigan's state government and public policy process. The program is scheduled for March 16-18, in Lansing.

The three-day event, open to high-school-aged youth, includes tours of the Michigan Capitol, interactions with state legislators, meetings with state agency staff, lobbyists and state-level experts and learning how policy is made. During the program, youth work in small teams to draft legislation on:

agriculture; civil rights; crime, law enforcement and corrections; education; energy, environment and natural resources; health and human services; and jobs and the economy.

The cost to register in 2025 is \$365, which includes most meals, materials, and lodging at the Okemos Conference Center. Please contact your local 4-H program coordinator to inquire about local funding opportunities. To learn more and/or find the link to register, visit www.canr.msu.edu/4_h_capitol_experience/.

Resolve to have a great 4-H year

Adapted from: www.canr.msu.edu/news/resolve_to_have_a_great_4_h_year.

As we start the New Year, how can 4-H clubs resolve to improve in the year ahead? Here are ten suggestions to make the upcoming year a successful one.

Resolve that:

1. Club meetings will start and end on time.
2. Business meetings will follow Robert's Rules of Order and that all club paperwork, such as minutes, club inventory and financial statements, will be completed in a timely manner.
3. All members will take part in discussions and have a say in decisions that are made. Keep a chart with each members' name and when they speak at business meetings.
4. The club meeting place will be a safe, comfortable and welcoming environment for all club members.
5. Fun will be included in each meeting.
6. A learning activity will be included in each club meeting. Ideas include exploring a new 4-H curriculum, having members volunteer to do a demonstration, doing a show and tell about each members' favorite project, or bringing in a guest speaker.
7. The club will pursue at least one community service project chosen, planned and celebrated by the club.
8. New members will have a buddy they may talk with about any 4-H questions.
9. The 4-H pledge will be said at every meeting.
10. Every club member will be recognized in some way to let them know they are cared about.



SAVE THE DATE – Michigan 4-H Day at the Breslin

Michigan 4-H Day at the Breslin returns on March 1, 2025! For nearly two decades, this has been exciting event attended by Michigan 4-H youth, volunteers and families. We look forward to continuing this event in 2025 as 4-H'ers from across the state come together for a day of fun, comradery and basketball at MSU.

Make plans to join us on March 1 as the MSU Women's Basketball team takes on the Minnesota Gophers. Tickets will be available soon; visit www.canr.msu.edu/events/4-h-day-at-the-breslin for more information.



STATEWIDE CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Attend the State 4-H Rabbit & Cavy Show & Expo



Join us for the 2025 State 4-H Rabbit and Cavy Show and Expo at the MSU Pavilion! Youth may choose to exhibit their rabbit and/or cavy as well as to compete in other contests such as breed identification, photography, educational display, showmanship, and new this year -skillathon.

Showmanship exhibitors are required to pre-register by January 17. All other contest registrations are done onsite at the show.

Educational sessions will also be scheduled throughout the day with the support of The Rabbit School and Rabbit Tutor.

Learn more at:
www.canr.msu.edu/events/2025_showmanship_rabbit_and_cavy_show.

January 6: Online Parent Talk System Series (Mondays in January and February)

Online

This parenting workshop is designed to improve communication and provide practical verbal strategies for raising confident, caring, responsible children. This class is for caregivers of toddlers to teens and will take place on Monday evenings for six weeks, beginning on Jan. 6.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/the-parent-talk-system-series-january-february-25

January 14: Wild Spartans – Working my dream job with Michigan Sea Grant

Online

Take a look into life working with fisheries and wildlife! This month, delve into the freshwaters and skies that surround as you meet Elliot Nelson with Michigan Sea Grant. You'll learn about his work, and the education and career path he followed to get there. Youth will be encouraged to ask questions to learn more through a live Q&A. This free virtual series is youth ages 12-19. www.canr.msu.edu/events/wild-spartans-monthly-wildlife-fisheries-webinar-series-january-2024-2025

January 14: Adulting 101 – Decreasing Stress with Mindfulness

Online

Are you ready to leave for college or be out on your own? Are you prepared to do adult tasks related to finances, home, health or finding a career? Adulting 101 can help you learn real life skills to successfully transition to living independently. In this session, learn how stressors can affect physical and mental health and practice mindfulness techniques to use in everyday life.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/adulting-101-2025

January 23: Gearing up for success through apprenticeships: Advance your career in automotive research and development

Online

Are you passionate about vehicles and ready to jump-start your career? Enjoy technology, robotics and hands-on problem solving? Join this webinar designed to provide valuable insight into the skills and certifications you need to excel in today's fast evolving automotive industry.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/gearing-up-for-success

January 30: Michigan 4-H Volunteer Webinar – Building a Culture of Appreciation by Recognizing 4-H Volunteers and Youth

Online

Discover simple, impactful ways to celebrate and recognize volunteers and youth involved in your club.

www.canr.msu.edu/events/michigan-4-h-volunteer-webinar-series-building-a-culture-of-appreciation-recognizing-4-h-volunteers-youth-noon

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Upcoming Events



MICHIGAN 4-H HORSE PROGRAM WINTER WEBINAR SERIES



January 15th at 6pm: How to buy a horse with Paula Hitzler

January 29th at 6pm: The basics of Equine Management with David Lindsay

February 5th at 6pm: Equine Nutrition basics with Dr. Christine Skelly

February 18th at 6pm: Being a better boarder and Running a boarding facility with Taylor Fabus

March 12th at 6pm: From the judges' perspective: Showmanship with Dr. Karen Waite

March 26th at 6pm: From the judges' perspective: Ranch Riding with Dr. Alyssa Logan

Any further questions email David Lindsay, Extension Educator at lindsa75@msu.edu





2025 Calendar of Statewide Animal Science Events

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January 25	State 4-H Rabbit and Cavy Show & Expo
February 15	4-H Animal Science Career Quest
March 1-2	4-H Dairy Conference
March 8	4-H Spring Livestock Workshop
March 15	4-H Hippology State Contest
March 29	4-H & FFA Horse Judging State Contest
May 8	4-H & FFA Meats Judging State Contest
June 11-12	Youth Livestock Judging Camp
June 25	4-H & FFA Livestock Judging State Contest
June 28	4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl
July 7-8 & 9-10	4-H Animal and Veterinary Science Camp
July 15-17	4-H Youth Dairy Days
August 14-17	4-H State Horse Show

Other programs could include the State 4-H Dog Show, species workshops, and more!



Scan me for more information about these programs!

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2025 MI 4-H STATEWIDE DAIRY EVENTS

March
1-2

MI 4-H Dairy Conference

Michigan State University

June
28

State 4-H Dairy Quiz Bowl Contest

Anthony Hall, Michigan State University

July
14-17

MI 4-H Dairy Days

Michigan State University

Sept. 28-
Oct. 2

National 4-H Dairy Conference

Madison, WI

KENDRA VAN ORDER
MI 4-H DAIRY EDUCATOR

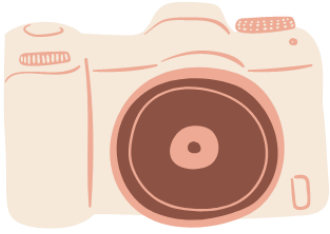
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All of this and more!

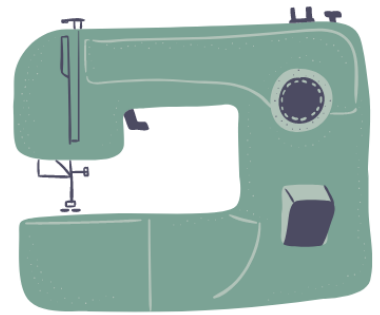
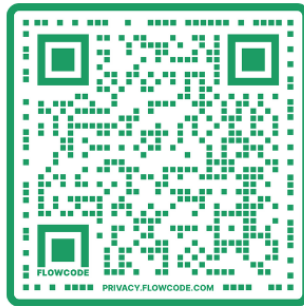


4-H HAS SO MUCH TO OFFER!



To find your local 4-H Program Coordinator, or to learn more about what 4-H can offer you and your family, go to:

https://www.canr.msu.edu/4h/join_4_h



4-H is about more than the ribbons & awards
IT'S ABOUT the PEOPLE, the Experiences, the life-long skills, the memories, the COUNTY FAIRS
IT'S ABOUT being a ROLE MODEL giving back, and MAKING THE BEST BET



MONTCALM COUNTY 4-H COMMUNITY CONNECTIONS COMMITTEE

What we do:

- Community Service Projects / Challenges
- Build / Expand Community Partnerships
- Bridge Gaps for Community Members
- Locate and Provide Needed Resources
- Join Together Surrounding Counties
- Host Events and Activities

Find us on Social Media

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/656549581412123>



Upcoming Events

YOUTH MENTAL HEALTH FIRST AID WORKSHOP

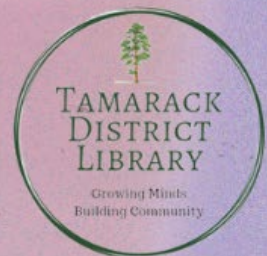
A FREE resource workshop for adults and teens, to give parents/caregivers/peers some tools to recognize and assist young people experiencing mental health challenges, grief, or trauma.

YMHFA Resource Workshop
January 14, 2025 | 5:30pm
Tamarack District Library
832 S Lincoln Ave,
Lakeview, MI 48850



REGISTER HERE: <https://events.anr.msu.edu/YouthMentalHealth>

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Upcoming Events

MSU Extension's Adulting 101 program will be starting up again in January. Our FREE monthly series will begin on January 14 at 6:00 pm ET with “Decreasing Stress with Mindfulness.” Sign up for this class and many more here: <https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/adulting-101-2025>



ADULTING 101

DECREASING STRESS WITH MINDFULNESS

Tuesday, January 14, 2025 6 - 7 p.m. EST





Upcoming Events



Join Us Online

WILD SPARTANS

SCIENCE * RESEARCH * CAREERS * CONSERVATION

**"FLYING TO NEW HEIGHTS, SWIMMING TO NEW DEPTHS:
WORKING MY DREAM JOB WITH MICHIGAN SEA GRANT"**

WITH ELLIOT NELSON
MICHIGAN SEA GRANT EDUCATOR

January 14 | 6:30 PM EST

Registration required:

https://events.anr.msu.edu/wildspartans2024_25



Upcoming Events

As a youth in today's society, you are a major contributor to the economy and are poised to be the nation's next biggest spenders... but do you know...

- ◇ What credit is and how it works?
- ◇ The different types of credit?
- ◇ The advantages and disadvantages of credit?
- ◇ How to avoid getting in debt?
- ◇ What a credit report is (and how to get yours for free!)?

Increase your knowledge of credit in just one hour by joining one of these upcoming webinars: January 15 at 6 pm ET or February 4 at 5:30 pm. Register here for FREE:

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/crashcreditcourse...>



Crash Course: Credit Survival 101

A webinar on credit basics for youth



January 15 at 6pm
OR
February 4 at
5:30pm



Upcoming Events

To register for showmanship and access the show catalog visit:

https://events.anr.msu.edu/2025_showmanship_rabbit_and_cavy/

Contact: Glenda at weissgle@msu.edu or (517) 676-7303



2025 State 4-H Rabbit and Cavy Show and Expo

\$4
Entry Fee



Breed, Market, Fur Class Entry Fee: \$4.00

Other Contests Entry Fee: \$2.00

Photography, Educational Display, Breed Identification, Skillathon

Showmanship pre-enter by
January 17, 2025

Jan 25, 2025
Enter animals day
of Show
7:00 am-10:00am

MSU Pavilion
for Agriculture and
Livestock Education

State Rabbit
and Cavy Show
Web Page:

shorturl.at/Ey5yF



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Perpetual trophy for all
Best In Shows!



Sign up now for the Flat River Youth Small Game Hunt!

Saturday, January 18, 2025

Shake off the winter cabin fever and join us for a small game hunt at the **Belding Sportsman's Club:**
10651 Youngman Road, Greenville, MI, 48838.

7:30a.m. Breakfast & hunter meet and greet
11a.m.-1p.m. Lunch
12:30p.m. Raffle of prizes

Breakfast and lunch will be provided. Winter weather can be unpredictable, please dress accordingly.

Hunters will receive a swag bag of items from conservation partners and the chance to win a firearm from the Michigan Squirrel Dog Association.

To RSVP call the DNR Flat River Field Office at 616-794-2658 by January 16th.
Registration is mandatory.

For youth hunters ages 16 and younger.

Participants must bring their base license or mentored youth license, hunter orange garments, and firearm and ammunition. Hunting guides may be provided to hunters depending on availability.



This event is hosted in partnership with the Michigan DNR, Belding Sportsman's Club, and Michigan Squirrel Dog Association.



Upcoming Events



up your




Market Project

Join the 4-H Youth Livestock Committee on January 27th at 6:30pm, as we cover ways to improve your market projects.






Upcoming Events

 Rev up your career in 2025! Join us for Driven for the Future, a five-part webinar series on Automotive R&D Skilled Trades and Advanced Manufacturing Careers and Career-Building Skills (the very important topics of professionalism & interview tips!)—happening monthly, Jan-May 2025.

Sponsored by Toyota Research & Development, there's even an exclusive incentive for those who attend all five!

 Don't miss this chance to shift your career into high gear.

 Learn more & register: <https://www.canr.msu.edu/driven-for-the-future/index>

Webinars monthly January-May 2025

Driven for the Future: Automotive Research and Development Technician Career Webinar Series





Mega Raffle Night

February 1st

Montcalm County

Fairgrounds Ash Building

Doors open at 6pm drawings starts at 7pm

Silent Auction | Food & Drinks | Door Prizes |

DJ Entertainment | Beer & Wine



**Scan the QR Code for
Ticket Info!**





Upcoming Events

Save the date!

4-H Animal Science Career Quest is back again this year! It will be on Saturday, February 15th, 2025, in Anthony Hall on campus. More information will be available in the new year. Keep an eye out - we hope to see you there!



4-H Animal Science Career Quest

February 15, 2025





4-H Winterfest 2025

DATE:
February 8—9, 2025

LOCATION:
Eagle Village
Hersey, MI

COST:
\$120

SOCIAL MEDIA:

[https://www.facebook.com/
profile.php?
id=100067458275560](https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=100067458275560)



WHO SHOULD ATTEND:

4-H youth 8—12 years old

DESCRIPTION:

Youth and adults who attend 4-H Winterfest will spend 2 days learning about exciting project areas while meeting youth from around the state. 4-H Winterfest offers participants and chaperones an opportunity to experience Eagle Ville in an overnight camp setting. Youth participate in hands on sessions.

HOW TO REGISTER

Registration information will be available in early January with registration taking place through 4-H Online. The committee highly encourages youth to be enrolled in 4-H Online prior to registration opening.

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Upcoming Events

<https://www.canr.msu.edu/events/4-h-day-at-the-breslin>

MICHIGAN 4-H DAY AT THE BRESLIN

MARCH 1

SAVE THE DATE!



Classic Equine

*Veterinary Service with a Special Interest
in Lameness Diagnostics*

******Show Horse
Package ******

*Vetera Gold
*Potomac/ Rabies

*Strangles

*Coggins

Total = \$189

Montcalm County Vaccine and
Coggins Clinic

March 8th, 2025
10am-1pm

Coggins- \$40

Vetera GOLD- \$75

(Eastern and Western Encephalomyelitis (EEE & WEE), West Nile virus, Tetanus, Rhinopneumonitis, Equine Influenza)

Vetera-\$52

(Eastern and western encephalomyelitis (EEE & WEE), West Nile virus, Tetanus)

Potomac + Rabies Combo – \$36

Strangles Intra Nasal- \$38

Fecal Egg Count - \$38

Classic Equine recommends all horses travelling to shows be vaccinated against Eastern and Western Encephalomyelitis (EEE & WEE), West Nile virus, Tetanus, Rhinopneumonitis, Equine Influenza, Potomac Horse Fever, Rabies, and Strangles

Cash or check only to receive this special pricing

4-H SPARK & SHARE SUMMIT



Join us for a workshop for adult volunteers and teen leaders to ignite sparks, share ideas, and explore interests through a variety of hands-on activities!



JOIN US!

REGISTER NOW!

<https://events.anr.msu.edu/SELeaderMeet2025/>

EVENT DETAILS

Southeast Regional 4-H Spark and Share Summit

Date: March 8, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM to 5:30 PM

Location: Bavarian Inn Lodge & Conference Center
Frankenmuth, MI

**\$50 per
person**

**Lunch
included**

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Upcoming Events

Who: Youth in 9th grade through 12th grade. 4-H and non-4-H members welcome! (Non 4-H members will be asked to sign up in 4-H Online)

What: a 3-day event where youth can meet with peers to talk about issues that are important to them, network with folks that work in a wide variety of roles related to public policy, and see state government in action.

When/Where: Sunday, March 16 through Tuesday, March 18, in-person at the Okemos Conference Center and Michigan's State Capitol

Cost: \$365 includes conference registration, lodging, and meals

Register Now Until March 1 at: <https://events.anr.msu.edu/CapitolExperience2025/>

Additional Overnight Lodging Available: Hotel reservations at the Okemos Conference Center are available to families interested in extending their stay in Lansing before or after the event at [Okemos Conference Center](#). **Note** that parents/guardians are responsible for their children before and after the program, including lodging and transportation if needed. Staff will not provide supervision for overnight lodging for any additional nights.

MARCH 16-18, 2025

4-H CAPITOL EXPERIENCE



COST \$365

OPEN TO HIGH SCHOOL AGE YOUTH
EXPERIENCE STATE GOVERNMENT IN
ACTION AND LEARN HOW TO INFLUENCE
POLICY ISSUES.

INTERACT WITH LEGISLATORS, STATE
AGENCY STAFF, LOBBYISTS AND OTHER
RESOURCE PEOPLE!



PLEASE REGISTER BY MARCH 1ST AT: [HTTPS://EVENTS.ANR.MSU.EDU/CAPITOLEXPERIENCE2025/](https://events.anr.msu.edu/capitolexperience2025/)

